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**CHIEF, COMMON CARRIER BUREAU**

Dear Mr. Ferris:

I am counsel for the Ohio Cable Television Association and various individual cable television entities in Ohio, and am writing to inform you that the Association and certain cable television companies operating in the state of Ohio are filing a petition to intervene in the Public Utility Commission of Ohio's rate-making proceeding concerning pole attachment rates charged by utility companies in Ohio for pole attachments made by cable television operators.

The intervenors will challenge the PUCO's finding that it has jurisdiction over pole attachment rates in Ohio under existing law in Ohio, as well as participate in any proceeding on the merits concerning what the pole attachment rate should be or how it should be formulated.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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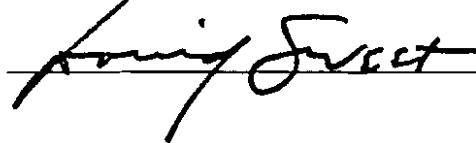
TO: Federal Communications Commission.

SUBJECT: Certification of state regulation of pole attachments,  
pursuant to Public Law 95-234.

The undersigned constitute a majority of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. We hereby certify that pursuant to the Entry issued by this Commission on July 26, 1978, in Case No. 78-1061-AU-UNC, this Commission regulates the rates, terms, and conditions for pole attachments, and that in so regulating such rates, terms, and conditions, this Commission has the authority to consider and does consider the interests of the subscribers of cable television services, as well as the interests of the consumers of the utility services.

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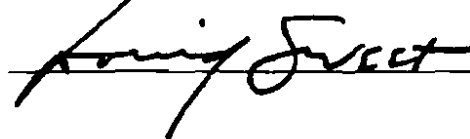
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